

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
WESTERN DIVISION

No. 5:97-CR-133-5H
5:16-CV-429-H

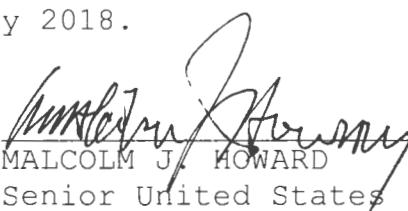
GREGORY SCOTT,)
Petitioner,)
v.)
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
Respondent.)

ORDER

This matter is before the court on petitioner's Notice of Voluntary Dismissal, [DE #197]. Due to the unique procedural posture of this case and out of an abundance of caution, the court construes petitioner's filing as a motion to voluntarily dismiss his claims without prejudice pursuant to Rule 41(a)(2). There being no objection, the court GRANTS petitioner's motion, [DE #197], and hereby DISMISSES WITHOUT PREJUDICE petitioner's claims against respondent. All other pending motions are deemed moot.

The clerk is directed to close this case.

This 16th day of July 2018.



MALCOLM J. HOWARD
Senior United States District Judge

At Greenville, NC
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